U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DIVERS

INFORMATION BRIEF

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Phase I Course Chief

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Senior Training

PURPOSE

To provide retention with accurate information about Engineer Divers, what it takes to be accepted for training and how to better prepare the soldier for success.

ENGINEER DIVER MISSION

- Mobility and Counter Mobility
- Port Opening, Construction, and Rehabilitation
- Salvage
- Search and Recovery
- Protection (Physical Security)
- Ships Husbandry
- JLOTS (Joint Logistics over the Shore)

ENGINEER DIVE VIDEO

TRAINING OUTLINE

- PHASE I (Fort Leonard Wood, MO)
  - 3 weeks long (45hrs in pool)
  - Designed to evaluate soldier's potential for success at Phase II
  - 60% to 80% Attrition
  - 9 courses per year

- PHASE II (Panama City, FL)
  - 2nd Class Dive School (basic diver)
  - 26 weeks long
  - 3 courses per year

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- E-1 to E-4 with less than 1 year as an E-4
- Have a minimum 106 GT / ST and 98 GM
- Pass a Dive Physical
- Pass a Diver PT Test (DA form 5030)
- Have 2 years remaining at estimated time of graduation (Non BEAR)

APPLICATION PACKETS

- Dive Physical
- ERB
- DA form 705
- DA form 5030
- 4187 (non BEAR)
- Memorandum for waiver (if needed)

APPLICATION PACKETS
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- E-Mail or fax completed packets to:

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QUESTIONS?